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TO AMEMBASSY PRAGUE

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SUBJECT: CHNOUPEK LETTER TO SECRETARY

1. ON AUGUST 15 AMBASSADOR SPACIL DELIVERED UNSIGNED, UN-OFFICIAL TRANSLATION OF TEXT OF LETTER STILL IN TRANSIT FROM CHNOUPEK TO SECRETARY RESPONDING TO LATTER'S MESSAGE OF AUGUST 9 AFFIRMING CONTINUITY OF U.S. FOREIGN POLICY UNDER PRESIDENT FORD.
2. LETTER STRESSED THAT ACHIEVEMENT OF WORLD PEACE ALSO IS FOREMOST OBJECTIVE OF CSSR GOVERNMENT AND CONCLUDED THAT SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF CSCE WOULD GIVE "CONCRETE REFLECTION" OF IMPROVEMENT IN INTERNATIONAL UNDERSTANDING.
3. ON BILATERAL RELATIONS, CHNOUPEK SAID HE BELIEVED WORK OF REMOVING OBSTACLES TO FURTHER DEVELOPMENT OF CONTACTS WILL CONTINUE AND GAVE FIRST RANK TO SIGNING OF CLAIMS AGREEMENT AND "RETURN OF MFN", WHICH WOULD CLEAR WAY FOR EXPANSION OF TRADE AND CONTACTS IN OTHER FIELDS.
4. TEXT AND TRANSLATION OF LETTER WILL BE POUCHED TO EMBASSY WHEN RECEIVED HERE.

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